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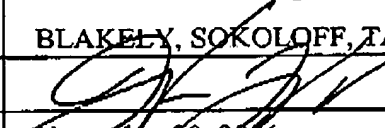
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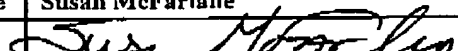
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Independent Claims	3	6*	0
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Large Entity

Small Entity

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1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple Dependent claim, if not paid
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1052		2052		Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
2053		2053		Non-English specification
1251		2251		Extension for reply within first month
1252		2252		Extension for reply within second month
1253		2253		Extension for reply within third month
1254		2254		Extension for reply within fourth month
1255		2255		Extension for reply within fifth month
1401		2401		Notice of Appeal
1402		2402		Filing a brief in support of an appeal
1403		2403		Request for oral hearing
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
1460		2460		Petitions to the Commissioner
1807		1807		Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)
1806		1806		Submission of Information Disclosure Sheet
1809		1809		Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))
1810		2810		For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 20, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.